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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 1731
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING GLASS GOB, METHOD FOR
PRODUCING GLASS MOLDED ARTICLE, METHOD FOR PRODUCING OPTICAL
ELEMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.